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**MERELY A RUSE.**  
 A London Beggar Conceals a Story of Kidnaping.  
 [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
 LONDON, Nov. 16.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The officials of the United States Embassy say that the story of the alleged kidnaping of Henry S. Clay of Boston, Mass., by a prominent physician, who is an ardent vivisectionist, is a pure invention.  
 "Clay is pronounced to be a mythical personage, and the letter received at the United States Embassy telling of the kidnaping is said to have been merely the device of a beggarly writer, who himself delivered the letter alleged to have been found on the sidewalk in Harley street, 'which is mainly occupied by beggars and thieves, in order to obtain half a crown for his trouble.'"

**Will be Escorted Home.**  
 ENGLISH (Ind.) Nov. 16.—John H. Weathers, president of the defunct English Bank, which closed its doors last Saturday, has been located at Corydon, Ind., twenty-five miles from this city. He has announced his willingness to surrender to the officers of the law to answer any charges that may be brought against him, providing he is guaranteed protection. With this end in view, Sheriff Ballard left this morning with a posse of 100 men, all friends of Weathers, to accompany the ex-bank president to this city.

**At New York Hotels.**  
 NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—[Special Dispatch.] S. Axelrod and wife are at the New York; Miss M. F. Penfield of San Diego is at the Gerlach; C. J. Curtis of Redlands is at the Grand Union; Miss Gregg, Miss Chamberlain, C. E. Hale and wife of Santa Barbara, are at the Holland.

**Missed Shot's Effect.**  
 LEADVILLE (Colo.) Nov. 16.—By the explosion of a missed shot in the Big Six mine today, Thomas Cassidy had his right arm blown off, his left hand mutilated and one, if not both of his eyes destroyed. William Gallagher was badly cut in the face, and both eyes were seriously injured. Cassidy can hardly recover.

## CUBA'S AGONY.

### Three-fourths of Non-Combatants Dead.

### Women and Children Starve by Hundreds of Thousands.

### Blanco's Relief Work Does not End the Mortality.

Latter's Policy Declared to be a Suicidal One for Spain—The Loss of Spanish Soldiers—An Irrepressible Filtbuster.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
 NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—A special to the world from Havana says: "It appears now that nearly 75 per cent. of the 400,000 helpless women, children and non-combatants in Cuba affected by former Capt.-Gen. Weyler's policy are dead. Despite the orders issued by Gen. Blanco to feed the starving, the daily mortality of the remaining reconcentrados is frightful. The rabid Spaniards who believe that only by extermination can the Cuban race be saved, openly challenge the good faith of Gen. Blanco's statements as to his intention to feed and find work for those whom Gen. Weyler has not killed. They are jubilantly claiming that the new captain-general is enforcing the barbarous 'concentration' of the country people exactly as his predecessor did."  
 "The local press no longer prints the news from the small towns. In one of the last articles on the hunger situation, it was called 'one of the most awful spectacles ever presented to humanity.'"

### MURDER AND SUICIDE.

The Two Policies Spain Has Apparently Had in Mind.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
 NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—A dispatch to the world from Havana says: "Gen. Blanco has entered upon an almost suicidal task. His present Cuban situation is such that it seems impossible to effect the reforms which the greatest army in the history of the colonial wars has failed to accomplish. Spain's present policy is announced to be one of combined conciliation and extermination. It appears to be, as some Spanish journals have called it, a 'suicidal policy.'"  
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### HARBOR PLANS.

Will Probably be Laid Before Secretary Alger Tomorrow.

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.]  
 WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—[Special Dispatch.] Gen. Wilson, chief of engineers, has nearly completed the examination of the San Pedro Harbor plans. By Thursday they will be laid before Secretary Alger, who promises to give them immediate consideration.

### GERMANY ALARMED.

Exports to This Country Have Decreased Nearly 50 Per Cent.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
 WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Consul Monaghan at Chemnitz, in a report to the State Department on Germany's exports to the United States, says: "Germany is alarmed. Exports to the United States are dropping off. Nothing so alarming has appeared in twenty years. America was always the best customer in many lines of manufactures. In the September quarter of 1896, seventeen consular districts sent to the United States goods amounting to \$14,481,414. In the same quarter of 1897 the same districts sent \$7,189,157. The average loss over all the empire is nearly 50 per cent."

"In many cases this indicates more than mere money losses to our revenues. It indicates a diminution in exports from this empire due to the Dingley Bill. The public is told to put little confidence in newspaper reports, even if accurate. Each issue urges intelligent effort to retain the United States market."

### THE GEORGE MEMORIAL.

Appeal to the Public to be Made on Broad Grounds.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
 NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—It has been determined to appeal to the public at large for subscriptions to a memorial for Henry George on the part of the group of men who have been designated to the public good, entirely irrespective of difference of opinion as to his economic or political views, in the hope that all the various projects which have been suggested for the betterment of the country, having this purpose in view can be brought into harmony.

### Volunteer Soldiers' Homes.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: The question of more economical, efficient and responsible administration of the volunteer soldiers' homes will be made the subject of investigation by Congress as a result of the recent inspection of these institutions by Brig.-Gen. J. C. Breckinridge, inspector-general of the army. He will also suggest the transfer of the administration of the homes to the jurisdiction of the Secretary of War.

## DEMANDS INVESTIGATION.

Count Esterhazy Denies That He Disclosed Military Secrets.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
 PARIS, Nov. 16.—Comte Esterhazy, who, it is said, answers the description of "a rich and titled officer, well known in Parisian society," who had been questioned to resign his commission in the army in consequence of the continued leaking of military secrets since Capt. Dreyfus was deported, says he is ready to reply to all the charges that may be brought against him.

Count Esterhazy, in an interview, declares he is the victim of a plot. He adds that a month ago he received an anonymous letter warning him that a former high official of the War Office was formulating charges against him. The Count informed the Minister of War of the circumstances, urging him to investigate the matter. A week ago a lady handed him documents, which he found to be a copy of a letter from the Count, compromising Dreyfus to such an extent that when published they will create an enormous sensation.

Continuing, Count Esterhazy asserted that he had handed these documents to a man, a Sautier, then military governor of Paris, but he first took the precaution to photograph them so as to have the means of defending himself.

The full name of the Count is Ferdinand Walsin Esterhazy. He was formerly a major in the French infantry. Early this year he was placed on half-pay on the ground of temporary infirmities. He is connected with the celebrated Hungarian family of Esterhazy, but when entering the army he had entered as a Frenchman. At one time he belonged to the foreign legion.

## ANDRE'S PRISON HOUSE.

HAS BEEN SOLD AND WILL BE OPENED TO THE PUBLIC.

For Forty Years Its Owner, Dr. Stephens, Refused to Allow Visitors to Enter—Two Weeks Ago a Storm Made a Breach in It—It Was Then Transferred.

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.]  
 NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—[Special Dispatch.] A Sun special from Nyack, N. Y., says that the heavy wind and rain storm which two weeks ago blew down the "76 stone house at Tappan, where Maj. Andre was imprisoned before his execution as a spy, has accomplished more than the united efforts of thousands of persons who, in the last forty years, have endeavored in vain to gain admission to the historic building, for Dr. Stephens, the owner for forty years, today sold the building to Charles Pike, a wealthy resident of Tappan, who will rebuild the front and preserve the building as it is, and open it to the public.

During his ownership Stephens would not permit any one to enter the house under any circumstances. Since he purchased the property people from all parts of the world have visited it to view the interior, but in every instance they have been turned away.

Dr. Stephens, who was born in 1807, was Maj. Andre's prison, as smaller than it was at that time, as the back part has been partitioned off into another apartment. It was in this room that Alexander Hamilton and others visited Andre. Back of the front room was the home of the doctor, and the window looks out to the west, where tradition says, he saw the scaffold reared for his execution.

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## DEADLY MUSH.

### Nearly Killed a Mother and Daughters.

### Mrs. Schubert and Family of Three Taken Ill.

### Enough Arsenic Found to Poison a Dozen Men.

Doctors Summoned in Time to Save the Lives of the Sufferers—The Meal Had Just Been Purchased.

[BY THE TIMES' SPECIAL WIRE.]  
 SACRAMENTO, Nov. 16.—[Special Dispatch.] A whole family, consisting of a mother and her three daughters, were poisoned in this city yesterday by eating mush for breakfast in which arsenic had been mixed. The sufferers have all recovered. An investigation followed, which resulted in bringing to light enough arsenic to have killed a dozen men.

The family, which so miraculously escaped, is that of Mrs. Dorothy Schubert. She and four daughters yesterday morning partook of oatmeal, which they took from an original package recently purchased at a grocery. A few hours after eating, Mrs. Schubert was taken sick and a short time later her daughter, Miss Celia, employed as stenographer in a downtown wholesale house, returned home and complained of being very ill. The other three daughters were taken with violent vomiting almost immediately afterward, and a physician was summoned. Seeing that the case was a serious one, the physician called in assistance, and the doctors succeeded in bringing about the recovery of the family.

A pasteboard box of the meal which stood in the cupboard and from which the family had breakfast, was examined by a chemist this morning, and was found to contain a large quantity of arsenic. So plentiful was the poison that the crystals could be plainly seen with a magnifying glass, and the doctors say they cannot understand how the family ever could have eaten of the meal and recovered.

Mrs. Schubert seems reticent about the case, but declares that the poison must have got in the meal by accident. She stoutly maintains that it could not have been put in by design.

## ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
 SACRAMENTO, Nov. 16.—Mrs. Dorothy E. Schubert and daughters of 406 Eleventh street have narrowly escaped serious consequences from arsenical poisoning. They ate breakfast yesterday morning from a pasteboard box of mush, in which arsenic had been mixed. A few hours afterward Mrs. Schubert was taken violently sick. Her daughter, Miss Celia Schubert, stenographer in a local wholesale house, soon after appeared at the home, suddenly ill, and having come upon her sister soon afterward, they pronounced the symptoms those of arsenic poisoning.

The contents of the stomach of one of the sufferers were given to a chemist for analysis. His conclusion was that arsenic had been swallowed. The mush eaten by the family was given over to analysis, and it is declared that this has been found to contain arsenic.

Mrs. Schubert, when visited by a Bee reporter this afternoon, said that she was unwilling to give out information until the completion of the analysis of the cereal preparation partaken of yesterday morning. She said, however, that there was no possibility whatever that the poison had been put in the mush purposely. The chemist had told the doctors, she said, that the poison was present in an amount which would have recovered almost entirely from the effects of the poison, and they regard their escape as miraculously fortunate.

The original package—a pasteboard box—which contained the meal from which the Schubert family ate, now is in the possession of a chemist, who said this afternoon that the meal remaining in the box contained enough arsenic to kill a very large number of people.

The chemist was also given the contents from the stomach of one of the victims to make an analysis, and in it he also discovered a great quantity of arsenic. When placed under a powerful magnifying glass the poisonous crystals were plainly revealed. It was a miracle, he said, that any one who had partaken of the mush had escaped death.

## ABDUL HOLDING OUT.

HAS NOT YIELDED TO THE DEMANDS OF AUSTRIA.

If They Are Not Compelled with Tomorrow Noon, Austrian Ships Will Bombard Messina—A Backdoor Looked For.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
 LONDON, Nov. 16.—[By Atlantic Cable.] It appears that the statement made yesterday in a special dispatch from Vienna that the Turkish government, in reply to the demands of Baron de Calice, the Austro-Hungarian Ambassador to the Porte, had agreed to salute the Austrian flag after dismissing the Vail of Adna and the Mulesari of Messina, for indignities offered to the Austrian, Brazzaffoli, was premature. The Porte has not yet yielded to the Austrian demands.

Dispatches from Vienna announce that up to midnight Tuesday no information has been received of the intention of the Turkish government to dismiss the offending officials, or to salute the flag. If, however, the Austrian demands are not complied with by noon tomorrow (Thursday) Baron de Calice will leave Constantinople, and the Austrian ships will bombard Messina.

The Vienna correspondent of the Times says: "It is now expected that the Sultan will hold out to the last moment, and then yield, which may appear to be a clever stroke of diplomacy and something for the Turkish official press to boast. Abdul midid is evidently just now in a frame of mind calculated to inspire serious concern. His easy victory over the Greeks, together with the indignities he was accustomed to expect from Germany until lately, completely turned his head."

## Can't Build at Canen.

VIENNA, Nov. 16.—The Greek bishop of Canen, Island of Crete, has been notified by the Russian Consul that the Czar proposes to rebuild, at his own cost, the burned Christian quarter of Canen, and to enlarge the Orthodox Greek Church. His Majesty has also granted a large sum of money for the relief of the poor at Canen.

## Local Peacemaking.

EDINBURGH, Nov. 16.—The Court of Sessions today delivered judgment dismissing the action of the pursuers in the famous Loyal peacemaking case, in which John Frazer claimed the peacemaking fee of £120,000 from the holder of the title for intercessions since he succeeded to the title.

## Points of the News in Today's Times.

SUMMARY.  
 General Associated Press night report, received since dark yesterday. . . . . 65  
 Commercial report (night), received since dark yesterday. . . . . 25  
 Exclusive Times dispatches (night), received since dark yesterday. . . . . 7  
 Associated Press day report, received before dark yesterday. . . . . 80  
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The whole equivalent to about 22 columns.

## The City—Pages 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 12.

Boy tries to shoot his brother. . . . . Police Commissioners discuss the bullet. . . . . Man wants his wife arrested for slapping his face. . . . . Insurance company begs the privilege of paying \$20,000 into court. . . . . Suit against the Southern Irrigation Company. . . . . University to have a postal sub-station. . . . . Manzanita district refuses to pay interest on bonds.

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Middle in San Diego's city finances. Shipments of oranges from Redlands to the East. . . . . Pomona becoming an important olive market. . . . . Plans for Santa Ana's sewer system adopted. . . . . Alleged fall of a great meteor near Santa Barbara. . . . . Riverside Water Company must use pipes instead of canals. . . . . San Bernardino's narrow-gauge system tied up. . . . . Pasadena figuring on rock for San Pedro breakwater.

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Nevada City family escapes from a burning house by sliding down a clothesline. . . . . Sacramento woman and three daughters eat poisoned mush. . . . . Gov. Budd's Thanksgiving proclamation. . . . . The Governor reads the Preston school trustees a lecture. . . . . Meeting of the State Fruit-Growers' Association. . . . . Marsden Manson brings home data on European highways. . . . . Anti-Debris Commissioners and their injunctive proceedings. . . . . Copper River treasure-seekers. . . . . Durrant's counsel demands that he be tried for killing Minnie Williams. . . . . The Oakland races. . . . . Great interest in the Sharkey-Goddard fight.

## Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 16.—For Southern California: Cloudy Wednesday; northerly, changing to easterly winds.

## PAVED A WAY.

### Seal Experts Reach an Agreement.

### Diplomats Also Come to a Fair Understanding.

### Final Adjustment Deferred to Another Time.

Canadians Urged Other Propositions and Suggested an International Committee to Settle Them—Case Summarized.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
 WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—The Bering Sea meeting, in which representatives of Great Britain, Canada and the United States have participated, came to a close tonight, the seal experts making a unanimous report concerning the formation of the seal herd, and the diplomatic representatives of the respective governments reaching an understanding by which they hope at a later date to effect a final adjustment, not only of the Bering Sea question, but of other pending border controversies.

For the present, however, no final action was taken as to the suspension of pelagic sealing. The Canadians urged that other questions be embraced in any plan of settlement, and suggested an international committee to accomplish this end. This proposition was fully discussed, and an agreement reached that the Canadian officials would put their views in writing after returning to Ottawa and submit them to the authorities here. All parties concerned say that the outlook is favorable to a satisfactory adjustment of the Bering Sea question.

The unanimous agreement of the experts brings the governments together for the first time on all the facts relating



**SPICKLER'S TROUBLES.**  
**Beat His Stepdaughter and Shot His**  
**Wife and Himself.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
CUSHING (Iowa,) Nov. 16.—L. D. Spickler shot and killed his wife, and then blew out his own brains. Four children of the wife of a former hus-

and are left orphans by the time they are 10 years old. Spickler was divorced from his wife about a year ago on account of family troubles. Recently he went home and beat one of his stepdaughters. For this he was arrested at the instigation of his wife. He was released from jail a few days ago.

He went about Cushing, saying he would kill his wife. People placed no credence in the threat. However, he went to his wife's house, and, upon entering, shot her without warning. He then went outside and put a bullet

SLAIN BY THE SERIS.

CONSUL LONG REPORTS ON THE  
PORTER EXPEDITION.

**Word of the Massacre of the Americans on Tiburón Island Through, Skipper Mendes — Remarkable Stories.**

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—United States Consul Hugh Long at Nogales, Mex., has furnished the State Department particulars of the supposed mur-

by Capt. Oster, by the Seris Indians who live on Tiburón Island, in the Gulf of California. According to the statements furnished to the Mexican customs officials by Martín Medina, master of the sloop, the captain, Capt. Oster, and the Seris Indians, Capt. Oster, with his companions in a small boat, to engage in collecting shells. They left the port of Guaymas on August 9, under special permission granted from the Mexican government to explore the shores and islands of the Gulf of California. Tiburón is one of the largest and most picturesque in the Gulf of Californian waters and is peopled by a most remarkable and interesting race of people. They are of a very large and extraordinary size and live on land and water. Those who have witnessed their aquatic sports and their manner of life are greatly surprised to find them can actually walk or rather swim

distance than broad rawhide shoes. They are expert fishermen and hunters, having rigid ideas as to the main purpose of life on the islands, and limiting the killing game under several penalties. They destroy all children in infancy that are not of their own race or of high intelligence. In this way the standard of physical and mental conditions in both sexes is kept very high.

It is a common belief that at one time the native women were exterminated to make room for a whiter and superior race of women. The nucleus of the present population was formed from captives made at various times, extending over a series of years on land and water. They have no physical training. The natives guard their shores day and night, and no man is allowed to penetrate the island, even

It is said that no epidemics have ever prevailed on the island, and disease is scarcely known among this extraordinary people, so that the men and women are magnificent in their physical endowment. No man or woman is allowed to live beyond the age of 75 years, no matter how well preserved his body and mind. By careful selection a large percentage of the women have transparent, peachy complexions and deep auburn hair.

**Discussed Orders to the Bear and the President's Message.**  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—The Cabinet held a brief session today. Much of the time was occupied in discussing the orders to the revenue cutter Bear prepared at the Treasury Department. The instructions were approved, and the Bear will sail as soon as she can be

The President is gathering information regarding his message, and has been discussing the subject with members of the Cabinet, ascertaining their views and their opinions of suggestions offered by Senators and Representatives.

**False Entries and Perjury.**  
MASON (Mich.,) Nov. 18.—Warrant were issued today for the arrest of \_\_\_\_\_ of the defunct People's Savings \_\_\_\_\_

Bank of Lansing. Charles H. Osborn, the cashier, is charged with making false entries in the books; Director Charles Brown and Christian Breckenridge are to be arrested charged with perjury. It is further alleged that they did not own in good faith the amount of stock required by law, as a qualification of directors.

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## THE WEATHER.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Nov. 16—At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.17; at 9 p.m., 30.18. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 64 deg. and 67 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 35 per cent; 5 p.m., 39 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 10 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 4 miles. Maximum temperature, 83 deg.; minimum temperature, 51 deg. Character of weather, 5 a.m., clear; 5 p.m., partly cloudy.

Barometer reduced to sea level.

## The Times

## ALL ALONG THE LINE.

When an insurance company is so anxious to get rid of its surplus cash that it begs a court to receive \$20,000 and place it where it will do the most good, the experienced policy-holder and premium-payer is justified in pricking up his ears for the first foot of Gabriel's horn. Yet that is what one company has done, and the million has not arrived.

Residents of University district are rejoicing over the reestablishment of a postal sub-station in their section of the city, and doubtless they now realize that some of their impatient criticism of the Postoffice Department was hasty and undeserved. Where thousands of such matters are to be examined, considered and determined, some must await their turn.

A Santa Barbara man saw queer things at 4 a.m. Monday. The heavens were full of falling stars, and a big meteor fell "kerosene" into the ocean and raised great clouds of steam. The man's horses fell down in terror, and he had a pretty good scare of his own. Sig. Larco is now drawing his nets in the channel for boiled barracuda, and the man who saw the meteor is thinking about taking the Keeley cure.

Bunco-steering was up for discussion in the Police Commission yesterday, and the Chief of Police explained that he had reason to believe that his orders relating to the treatment of the sharpers were not always obeyed by his men. It might not be a bad plan to have some of the men up before the Commission and give them a taste of discipline. Bunco-swindling can be stopped in Los Angeles if police detectives do their duty.

## PECULIAR PEOPLE.

Dunkers Will Have a Course of Bible Lectures.

The Brethren, more generally known by the name of the Dunkers, are making preparation for a religious movement at their church-house on South Hancock street, East Side, where a course of Bible lectures and teachings will be given on a line that is unusual in the general course of Bible teachings. The principal feature of this course is to find a true basis upon which all the differences of scriptural interpretation can be adjusted, and a greater uniformity in teachings and practice among all religious bodies be obtained. The Brethren believe that the answer given by most religious bodies to the question, "What must man do to be saved?" has not met the issue, and that the time has come for a better understanding of the true answer, and also for the world to know that there is a people who, as little children, accept the word of the New Testament as a message from heaven, and teach it in full.

This meeting will continue one week, beginning November 21, and at its close will be celebrated the Lord's supper, a religious service to which thousands of professing Christians are strangers, and which is claimed by the brethren to have been instituted by the Lord himself in Jerusalem. It is not generally known that this people, as a religious body, is one of the oldest in the United States, some of their number having settled in this country as early as 1709. There is a large number in Southern California. They maintain a strict moral standard. They are noted for their thrift and industry, never engage in war, will not take an oath, and abstain from wine. They follow the ever-changing fashions of the day. They hold to a literal interpretation of the scriptures, and by many are considered a peculiar people, zealous of good works.

## POLICE COURT NOTES.

Minor Offenders Punished and the Innocent Released.

John Peters pleaded guilty to the charge of petty larceny in the Police Court yesterday, and will be sentenced today. Peters stole a coat from A. Riba of No. 418 North Main street, and was arrested by Detective Goodman.

Frank Franklin was fined \$10 yesterday by Justice Morrison for disturbing the peace, and bail applied.

William Johnson and Ed Miller, arrested by Officer Fowler a few days ago, were held to answer for burglary by Justice Morrison yesterday in \$1500 bail each.

The complaint for rape lodged against William Hayes, charged by a colored girl a few days ago, has been dismissed.

Hilaro Armentis was given a ninety days' sentence in the Police Court yesterday for carrying a concealed weapon. Armentis is the fellow who drew a knife on Officer Talamantes in Sonoma town several days ago. He is said to be an ex-convict.

Ygnacio Montano, a Spanish-speaking negro, was yanked into the Police Court yesterday for his oft-repeated offense of keeping his tamale cart on the street after 1 o'clock in the morning, in violation of the city ordinance forbidding such traffic at unreasonable hours. Montano was fined \$3 for his defiance of the city statutes.

**Alleged Dog Thief Caught.**  
Special Officer Foster yesterday shadowed a suspicious character all over the Bonnie Brae tract, and at length got him to the Police Station for petty larceny. The fellow gave the name of E. G. Schultz. He was in the act of making away with a fine pug dog when apprehended. The fellow cooked the animal away from its home, and induced it to follow him toward the city by frequent calling and petting. A number of residents of the Bonnie Brae district have lost pet dogs recently, and Officer Foster thinks the latter a big, soft heavy-weight. The last bout was between two packing-house hands, one from Parma and the other from Ontario. They made a personal matter of it, and fought like farmers until the managers stopped the combat for fear of police interference.

## SLAPPED HIS FACE.

Young Carnicle Wants His Wife Arrested for Battery.

A young carpenter named Carnicle applied at the District Attorney's office yesterday for a complaint against his wife on a charge of battery. Both husband and wife arrived at the office at the same time, and it was a case of nip and tuck between the two as to which could first reach the ear of the public counselor. The husband got there first, however, and told his story while Mrs. Carnicle remained in the reception-room.

Carnicle said his wife and he had separated several months ago, and that their two children were placed in the Sisters' Home. He complained that his wife had continued to annoy him since the separation by frequenting the places where he was engaged at his trade and demanding money from him. Yesterday afternoon, he said, she approached him on Broadway, where he was engaged in superintending the construction of a building, and demanded that he furnish her a certain sum of money. Upon his refusing to do so, she slapped him in the face. He thought that she should be arrested and punished. Deputy District Attorney James, who had taken the matter in charge, declined to issue a complaint until he had heard both sides of the story, and Mrs. Carnicle was called in. The husband left the room and immediately ran out of the Court-house.

Mrs. Carnicle denied that any separation had ever been agreed upon, declaring that her husband had deserted her. He had never contributed toward her support nor that of the children, and she was obliged to depend upon the assistance of friends for her maintenance. For several weeks past, she said, she had been at the Franklin House, occupying rooms for which she was unable to pay the rent. For many days she had been entirely without means, and was forced to take to her bed through illness and want. Leaving her bed yesterday morning, Mrs. Carnicle said, she determined to see her husband and ask assistance. When she approached him, he declined to talk with her, and she slapped his face.

Mrs. Carnicle charged her husband with having deserted her because of affection for another woman with whom, she alleges, he is now living in a lodging-house on Third street. She declares she will never seek a divorce from Carnicle, as she is a Catholic and such a procedure would be against her religious principles.

Mrs. Carnicle is a daughter of Charles Cruz, deceased, who was well known in this city.

## JOY FOR UNIVERSITY.

Long-desired Sub-station at Last Definitely Ordered.

The people of University are to have their postoffice, and consequently their equanimity, restored to them on December 1. The postoffice will be a sub-station, located on Wesley avenue and Thirty-seventh street, in the block formerly occupied by the old postoffice, and about one hundred and fifty feet inside of the south line of the city. The office will be in the charge of Miss Lois A. Hawes, a bright, well-educated young woman, who has been keeping a delicacy store on Wesley avenue for the last year. Her parents, who live in the city, are strong Republicans, and the postmistress is the possessor of similar sentiments.

Miss Hawes was informed by Inspector Flint yesterday afternoon of her good fortune, and will enter upon her duties on December 1. The discontinuance of the postoffice last September seriously inconvenienced a great many people, and impatient complaints have filled the air in that locality ever since. University is so peculiarly laid out that the city leaves the greater part of the population and the majority of the business places just outside. The location of the old postoffice in a thickly settled quarter, near the University of Southern California and on the Main Street and Agricultural Park electric line, was eminently satisfactory to its patrons, and the one being only a few doors north, but inside the city line, as a sub-station must necessarily be, will provide a centrally-located station which will accommodate a large majority of the people outside, as well as give money-order facilities to those inside the line.

The official notice regarding the establishment of the station, received by telegraph by Postmaster Matthews from the department at Washington yesterday, was as follows: "By direction of the Postmaster-General a sub-station is to be established December 1, on the southwest corner of Wesley avenue and Thirty-seventh street, to be known as University sub-station. Miss Lois is to be appointed clerk in charge, compensation \$100 per annum. You will see that the sub-station is put in operation by the 1st proximo. Further particulars by mail. PERRY S. HEATH, "First Assistant Postmaster-General."

## A FLASH IN THE PAN.

Ineffectual Attempt to Convict Jim Powelson of Vagrancy.

Jim Powelson, who was formerly styled the "king of the macs," and who has spent much time in jail and State's prison, was resurrected yesterday, after a long period of retirement, by Constable J. Harry Johnston. Powelson has been living so quietly at the Pico House for about a year that his presence in the city was not known. Constable Johnston came across him, however, and arrested him for vagrancy.

Deputy District Attorney Chambers did not think there was evidence enough to convict, so he refused to issue a complaint. Powelson was accordingly released after a few hours' incarceration.

The police have had much trouble with Powelson in years gone by, but he has quieted down and is almost a physical wreck on account of excessive use of opium.

It was Constable Johnston's intention, if successful in convicting Powelson, to follow it up with a regular crusade against the macquereaux. The first attempt having proved a mere flash in the pan, it is doubtful whether the constable will carry out his intentions.

## Football Game.

The High School business course eleven and the Occidental College team played a game of football yesterday. The High School boys had the advantage in weight, but their opponents did better teamwork, and won by a score of 4 to 0. Both teams played a clean game, with no fouling. The line-up was as follows:

**High School.** Positions. Occidentals.  
Yan Norman Center Day  
H. Cooke Right guard Giffen  
McDonald Left guard Guthridge  
Ellis Right tackle Ellis  
Reichard Left tackle Miller  
Canfield Right end L. Shinn  
Stearns Left end T. Chapin  
Reese Right half back Cromwell  
Reese Left half back Stafford  
Miller Quarter back D. Chapin  
Wynn Full back J. Torrey

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

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BUSINESS MAN COMPLAINS OF POLICE PERSECUTION.

The Police Commissioners Discuss Plans for Driving the Bunco Gang Out of Town.

A QUESTION OF REPUTATION.

MANZANA IRRIGATIONISTS REFUSE TO PAY INTEREST ON BONDS.

And the Supervisors Order a Tax Levy—Jury Selected in the Bird Forgery Case—A Sensation or Two is Promised.

The Police Commissioners met yesterday morning. The most important matter discussed being the necessity of driving out of town the gang of bunco men and sharpers that has long infested the city. An attempt will probably be made to prosecute them for conspiracy to defraud.

A Broadway business man registered a kick against alleged police persecution. He was arrested and fined for violation of the sign ordinance, while many of his neighbors, though equally guilty, were allowed to go unpunished.

The Board of Supervisors has ordered a tax levy of \$25.75 on the \$100 upon the property included within the limits of the Manzanita Irrigation District. This action is taken because of the failure of the directors to levy an assessment to raise the amount necessary to meet claims for interest on the bonded indebtedness for 1898.

The Bird forgery case came up in Department yesterday, but no further progress than the selection of a jury was made. Testimony will be opened this morning.

[AT THE CITY HALL.]

AFTER THE BUNCO GANG.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS WILL BEGIN A CAMPAIGN.

A Broadway Business Man Complains That He is the Victim of Police Persecution—Inquires About the Expected Bond Issue.

The gang of bunco men and card sharpers that have long infested the city furnished a theme for discussion at the meeting of the Police Commissioners yesterday morning. Just before the adjournment Mr. Gibson broached the subject, saying that he thought the uninterrupted operations of these men were a disgrace to the city. He thought it high time to rid the city of this lawless element, and declared that the board should ascertain "whether these cheats and steers are bigger than the police department."

He suggested that whenever the police saw any person talking with a bunco-steerer, they should notify the intended victim of the character of the man to whom he was talking. He thought it would also be well to station officers outside the regular resorts of the gang so as to warn strangers about to enter.

Chief Glass said it would be advisable to proceed against the bunco men by order of the board, not against conspiracy to defraud. Proceedings of this character had proved effective in the past. Ten years ago a notorious gambler, Rose, and his associates were driven out of town by prosecution under this act.

Mr. Gibson offered a resolution, which was adopted, directing the clerk of the board to ask Deputy District Attorney Chambers whether prosecution could be maintained against the bunco men by order of the board.

Several suggestions were made by members of the commission. Mr. Wyman suggested that two or three officers be detailed to follow up the bunco men and camp on their trail, so as to prevent them from doing any "business."

The chief said that his men had long had instructions to watch the bunco men, but that he did not intend these orders were obeyed.

Rev. J. P. Widney, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, No. 526 South Los Angeles street, appeared before the board to ask for the appointment of J. A. Pollard as special policeman without pay. Dr. Widney said that members of his congregation had frequently been subjected to annoyance and insult by hoodlums who congregated near the church. Mr. Widney was confident that Pollard, who was described as a man with a fist like a sledge-hammer, would be able to maintain the peace, if armed with due authority. The petition was granted and Pollard was appointed a special policeman.

A long communication was received from H. O. Brooks, proprietor of the Hamman baths, on Broadway. He complained that he had recently been arrested and fined for violation of the so-called "sign ordinance," many other business men were allowed to violate the ordinance without punishment. He said Officer Bob Stewart, who arrested him, refused to arrest others who were equally guilty. Brooks objected to such discrimination, and gave the names of other offenders to the officer, but the latter refused to act against any of them. Mr. Brooks then interviewed Chief Glass, but obtained small satisfaction. Two or three police captains whom he saw at the station were equally unresponsive. Inclosed with Mr. Brooks's letter was a list of thirty or forty names of business men who had been arrested for violating the ordinance.

This letter called forth some discussion, and the committee on order of the board was instructed to notify all violators of the ordinance that it would be rigidly enforced.

The committee on uniforms and equipment presented a recommendation that the officers on duty at street crossings be instructed to wear white gloves and carry white batons. The report was adopted, and the chief was authorized to have half a dozen batons covered with white enamel for the use of the crossing officers.

The application of D. A. Chick for a transfer to himself of the license of S. J. Gilmore, No. 304 South Spring street, was granted.

The application of Robert W. Robinson for appointment as special policeman was filed.

say on the subject of bunco-steers that would not bear publication.

Proposed Bond Issue in Demand.

City Clerk Hance has already received inquiries from eastern bond dealers, asking for full particulars concerning the proposed issues of fire and school bonds. The writers state that they will desire to submit bids, and ask to be informed as to the rate of interest, date of maturity and amount of the issues.

City Hall Notes.

Property-owners on Sixteenth street between Hoover and Magnolia streets have filed a petition asking to have the street abandoned, a new street having been laid out which will give better service to the public.

A protest has been filed against the grading and sewerage of Cortez street between Belmont and Lake Shore avenues. It is signed by the owners of 784 feet of frontage.

Tax receipts yesterday were about \$16,000. It is expected that the City Auditor will make an appropriation of \$25,000 or \$30,000 today.

The work of lowering the granite blocks on First street between Main street and the river, and covering them with asphalt, was commenced yesterday.

That Fire-hose Contract.

The assertion made by a member of the W. C. Pursey Company that the company has sixty days in which to sign the fire-hose contract and execute the bond does not appear to be borne out by the facts. Inquiry at the City Attorney's office fails to reveal any authority for such a statement. Every successful bidder has a reasonable time in which to execute his bond and contract, but sixty days would seem an excessive length of time.

[AT THE COURT HOUSE.]

IS THIS REPUTATION?

MANZANA IRRIGATION DISTRICT WON'T PAY BOND INTEREST.

The Board of Supervisors Forced to Take the Matter in Hand—A Tax Levy of \$25.75 on the \$100 Ordered—Endless Litigation in Sight.

A tax levy of \$25.75 upon the \$100 has been ordered by the Board of Supervisors upon the property included in the Manzanita Irrigation District, lying in the western part of Antelope Valley. The action was made necessary through the refusal of the directors of the district to levy its annual assessment to meet the interest upon the bonded indebtedness for the year 1898.

As a reason for this refusal the directors allege that the district was illegally organized, and is being illegally maintained. The bondholders, however, charge the action to a desire to repudiate the bonds.

The Manzanita Irrigation District was organized about four years ago, and nearly 3000 acres of land is included within its limits. Under the provisions of the Wright Act, the property-owners voted to bond the district for \$60,000, but only \$40,000 was afterward paid. The directors claim to complete a water system, and bonds for this sum were floated at six per cent. interest. Interest on the bonds, therefore, would amount to a tax of about \$1.25 per acre on all patented lands in the district, a great portion of which has been planted to almond trees. The annual assessments, however, are not levied, and the directors determined not to levy an assessment. They subsequently decided differently, however, and insisted upon the payment of the \$24,000 interest.

This year the directors positively declined to levy an assessment, setting up as a defense that the district was not a legal entity, and that the number of freeholders; that the Board of Directors is not made up entirely of freeholders, as required by law, and that the district was not regularly and legally organized.

The law requires the Board of Supervisors to levy the assessments in such cases, and the action was taken yesterday afternoon by the adoption of the following schedule submitted by the County Assessor:

Interest due Jan. 1, 1898.....\$1176  
Assessor's expense.....1176  
Tax Collectors' expense.....117

Gross valuation.....\$11,732  
Net valuation.....\$9,572  
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any persons other than the Sheriff may make service, provided he is over the age of 18 and not a party to the action. The distinction made between the service of a summons on a Justice Court and one issued from a Superior Court is not obvious, but it is to be presumed that the Legislature had some purpose in view in making the distinction.

The defendant's contention is extremely technical, but if one of the requirements of a valid service of summons can be omitted, others may be omitted, and the writ ignored.

In conclusion, Judge York says: "The requirement of residence is an imperative as the requirement of age. If the service of summons by a person not shown by the affidavit to be 18 years of age at the time the summons was served by him is invalid, it is equally clear that service made by a party not shown to be a resident of the county at the time of the service is also invalid."

The judgment of the lower court is reversed.

BIRD JURY CHOSEN.

The Forgery Case to Open Up Full Battle This Morning.

The selection of a jury for all the progress made yesterday in the forgery case in which Richard A. Bird, ex-secretary of G. J. Griffith, is charged with having forged the name of his employer to several checks of various denominations.

The trial proper will be opened this morning at 10 o'clock, with Mr. Griffith, the complaining witness, upon the stand. A strong defense will be made, and one of the principal points to be raised, it is understood, will be an attempt to show that Bird is not able to positively identify his own signature.

The prosecution has subpoenaed nearly fifty witnesses. Among the list of these are fast women, with whom Bird is alleged to have associated as a diversion from the strain imposed upon him by his duties as a reformer and would-be purifier of city politics a year or so ago.

AN EXTRAORDINARY CASE.

Insurance Company Begs to be Allowed to Pay a Policy.

It is not often that a life insurance company begs "with tears in its eyes" and prayerful demeanor for the privilege of paying a policy, but the New York Life Insurance Company is doing that very thing in the case of George W. Meade, who died January 1 of this year, and whose wife was insured for \$20,000. The deceased's widow appears as the beneficiary all right enough, but the company is in a quandary as to the advisability of paying the money to her, as there are two other parties who claim an interest in the policy. Anthony G. Hubbard bases his claim upon an endorsement in the policy, which assigns to him by both Meade and his wife prior to the former's death, and Sarah J. Turner claims an interest under an endorsement in the policy, which assigns to her by both Meade and his wife prior to the former's death.

The insurance company announces in a complaint filed yesterday in the Superior Court that it is unable to pay the policy, and that it desires to place the \$20,000 in the hands of a third party, who will hold it subject to the order of the court to determine which one of the contesting parties is entitled to the money. The company declares that it has no claim to the money, and does not wish to be made defendant in a case brought merely to settle a dispute between the claimants.

HAD SHUT OFF THE WATER.

Damage Suit Against the South Side Irrigation Company.

A damage suit from the South End is in progress before Judge York, and the litigants are Emma G. Lattin and the South Side Irrigation Company.

Mrs. Lattin owns thirty-nine acres of land, for which the irrigation company agreed to furnish water, from year to year, until December 31, 1892, shortly after which the supply was cut off. Mrs. Lattin says she never defaulted in her payments, and denies that the company had a right to deprive her of the supply of water, which she says, she had every reason to believe would be permanent. She had planted her land in alfalfa, and had realized good returns until the company declined to furnish her with the water necessary for irrigation purposes. This act, she claims, damaged her in the sum of \$765, for the recovery of which suit was brought.

The answer to the complaint tells a different story. The South Side Irrigation Company was organized for the purpose of contracting with the city to dispose of the city sewage by distributing it among the residents of the city at the southern limits of the city for irrigation purposes. Mrs. Lattin's lands came within the scope of the company's plan, and the water was laid to conduct a portion of the sewage to her property. All went well until early in 1893, when the company declared that the sewage was a public nuisance, and that it did not propose to be haled into court on a charge of polluting the water supply of a public nuisance. The company also holds that it did not agree to furnish a supply of water for 1892. Lattin's lands later than the year 1892.

The trial of the case will probably continue for several days.

INSOLVENCY.

Two Petitions Filed with the County Clerk Yesterday.

Oscar C. Knox, a blacksmith doing business at Chatsworth Park, has filed a petition in insolvency. Knox's liabilities are \$977. His assets consist of real estate valued at \$1500, upon which there are mortgage incumbrances amounting to \$475, and personal property valued at \$290.25.

A petition in insolvency was filed by Leon J. Schick yesterday, with liabilities at \$408.05; assets, personal property exempt from execution. Schick is employed in a laundry, and formerly conducted a laundry on his own account.

THE MORGAN MADE UP.

Divorce Proceedings Cut Short by a Reconciliation.

What promised to be an interesting divorce case was dismissed in Judge York's court yesterday upon motion of the defendant. Suit had been brought by Adeline Morgan against Frank Morgan on the ground of cruelty, but when the case was called, Mrs. Morgan failed to put in an appearance. The husband's attorney presented a letter from the wife, in which she stated that she had decided to return to the bosom of her spouse, who, after the proceedings had been brought, promised faithfully to mend his ways and act in a manner becoming a husband.

"Well under the circumstances," said the court, "I think it best to dismiss the case."

At this moment, Mrs. Morgan's attorney appeared ready to proceed with the trial. He was unaware of the reconciliation between his client and her husband, he said, and couldn't understand the situation as it suddenly presented itself. The court proceeded to enlighten the attorney, and the case was dismissed by common consent.

Flotsam and Jetsam.

Miscellaneous Driftwood Thrown into the Courts.

FORECLOSURE. Ada B. S. Phillips, administratrix of the estate of William Stevens, deceased, has brought suit against R. P. Waite and wife to foreclose a mortgage upon seven acres of land situated in the San Fernando ranch, issued to secure promissory notes for \$3200, and costs.

INFORMATIONS. Informations were filed in Department One as follows: J. Williams, burglary; Patrick H. Say, age, murder; B. Solomon, receiving stolen goods; Will Ford, William Schofield, burglary. All will be arraigned November 17.

[AT THE U. S. BUILDING.]

LENG DIK TOY.

Went to Mexico in the Interests of Justice.

Leng Dik Toy was examined yesterday before United States Commissioner Owen on the charge of being illegally in the country. He was arrested by Chinese Inspector Putnam and failed to produce the requisite certificate. Leng claims a right to live in California on the ground that he only went to Mexico for a short stay, and in the interests of justice, as he went down to arrest Chinese murderers who had interfered with drawing a revolver, with which he began to pump lead at his brother. George was unarmed, but defended himself with stones.

THE COURSING MEET.

Final Arrangements for the Event Are Now Complete.

The Los Angeles Coursing Club held a meeting last evening at No. 143 South Broadway, when the final details of the Thanksgiving day meet at Agricultural Park were perfected. President Hall presided, and there was a full attendance.

Eighteen dogs were entered, and, on motion, it was decided that the drawing will take place on Tuesday evening next. Following are the entries and owners:

E. S. Howland's Linnie, Lightning, E. J. O'Shea's John L., N. B. Smith, Jr.'s Bon Ami, C. Spiker's Little Daisy, T. Bingham's Monte, Tommasher's Unk, Ladd's Italian Boy and Juliet, Brutti's Frisco, and P. Cross's Sport.

It was stated that the remaining six dogs could enter the money to be won. After some discussion the following field-officers were elected by a unanimous vote: D. R. Ladd, judge; P. K. Jacoby, scribe; T. Hartnett, steward; William F. Barber, clerk of the course; B. N. Smith, flagman.

On Sunday next the members of the club will meet at the Agricultural Park, when there will probably be several try-outs. The general public is invited to attend. There will be no admission fee, and the race can get some idea of the sport which it is proposed to inaugurate in Los Angeles.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Steady and Rapid Growth of the Permanent Exhibit.

The exhibit hall of the Chamber of Commerce is increasing steadily in extent and popularity. The number of visitors during the past month was 20,750. Exhibitors also are keeping well in line. The names of 133 contributors to the exhibit during the month of October are registered, showing an increase of 33 over the previous month. Orange county is the banner county in this line, the number of its exhibits compelling the erection of an extra table.

Calls for printed matter are also steadily increasing. Packages containing from two to fifty pamphlets each were sent out over the telephone by Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

E. R. Collingridge of Compton has placed on exhibition a new apple known as the Whitney. It is a fine, large, red apple, well shaped, and keeps well, and is an all-around profitable fruit to grow. Mr. Collingridge sold sixty tons of apples this year from Compton, and expects to increase the crop, ranging from eight to ten years of age.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

TUESDAY, Nov. 16, 1897.

(Figures in parentheses, unless otherwise stated, give volume and page of miscellaneous transfers.)

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Enterprise election precinct—At Gardena schoolhouse:

inspectors, E. O. Weed, L. H. West, James  
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Ringame, B. F. McCartney; ballot clerks,  
H. Turner, D. J. Moody.  
Leslie and Norwalk election precincts—at  
Norwalk schoolhouse:  
inspectors, L. T. Hallett, Garnet Duncan;

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**Firehouse schoolhouse:**  
Inspectors, A. W. Boerstler, J. H. Brewer;  
clerks, Ed Clelland, A. D. Merrill; clerks,  
Russell, Robt. Ramsaud; ballot clerks,  
P. Morrison, Henry Putney.  
**Firehouse election precincts—At Lancaster**  
**schoolhouse:**  
Inspectors, W. H. Holland, J. C. Hannah;  
clerks, Geo. F. Duntley, Geo. S. Weinsbank;  
clerks, H. S. Adney, H. D. Roberson; ballot  
clerks, A. J. McPhail, A. W. Austin.  
**Firehouse election precincts—At**

Alameda election precincts—  
inspectors, Geo. S. Martin, Theodore Hoel-  
— judges, Arthur A. Lawson, John Nick-  
— clerks, Leroy S. Elliott, A. B. Cox; bal-  
— clerks, Ralph H. Wholmes, Louis Tilgh-  
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Alabamas election precinct—At Courthouse:  
inspectors, —, N. T. Settle; judges,  
—, T. D. Cheney; clerks, —,  
—, A. A. Bell; ballot clerks, John Hogland,  
—, Nash.  
Albion and Del Sur election precincts—

**Fairmont schoolhouse:**  
Inspectors, T. C. Janes, E. W. Edson;  
 Judges, E. W. Spencer, Joseph Johnson;  
 Clerks, Chas. H. Crane, H. Sandberg; ballot  
 Clerks, E. T. Kooken, L. H. Mayet.  
**Bank election precinct—At Providencia**  
**schoolhouse:**  
Inspectors, W. C. Baringer, T. L. McWhor-  
 Judges, E. M. Crane, A. S. D. Fulton;  
 Clerks, A. M. Watson, D. H. Dunning; ballot  
 Clerks, T. D. Buffington, John Darling.  
**Evansville, Glendale and La Cañada election**

precincts—Vote at Glendale schoolhouse: inspectors, H. Zuber, R. G. Doyle; judges, T. Byram, G. T. Bathory; clerks, G. L. Tidson, Daniel J. Green; ballot clerks, Rachel Hunter, Robert Devine.

San Pasaden election precinct—At Pinger block, corner Fair Oaks and Logan street: inspectors, D. S. Burson, Elliott Lewis; judges, M. H. Salsbury, Chas. S. Seaman; clerks, Geo. A. Winner, A. G. Broner; ballot clerks, O. L. Clyde, Geo. W. Mundel.

Shirahm election precinct—At school-

use:  
inspectors, T. B. Cumpston, Wm. Glick-  
sengers, judges, R. Varney, S. B. Noble;  
ks, W. C. Weddington, A. McCormick;  
ot clerks, M. Beamon, J. L. Sargent.  
Fernando election precinct—At Macleay  
otel:  
inspectors, R. A. Hoyt, John M. Jenifer;  
ges, Peter Niblock, W. E. Wilson; clerks,  
L. Brown, G. C. Wallace; ballot clerks,  
F. Rinaldo, F. F. Strader.  
election precinct—At Soledad school-

Inspectors, Logan R. Rayburn, J. H. Jones; Judges, C. H. Odell, Joseph Gilbert; clerks, Brough, Paul Bachert; ballot clerks, H. Neken, P. H. McPhtridge.

Whale election precinct—At schoolhouse: Inspectors, J. H. Arnett, W. N. Forker; Judges, J. F. Powell, W. E. Pardee; clerks, E. Wright, J. R. Moore; ballot clerks, W. Erwin, C. A. Mentry.

Padena election precinct — At City

inspectors, J. J. Young, A. J. Moody;  
 sages, Chas. D. Clapp, Aaron T. McRey-  
 ds; clerks, H. J. Cone, C. H. Gardiner.  
 ot clerks, W. C. Brainerd, Albert Gibbs.  
 y order of the Board of Supervisors.  
 Seal] W. L. WOODWARD,  
 Chairman Board of Supervisors.  
 T. E. NEWLIN,  
 Clerk and ex-Officio Clerk of the  
 Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles  
 County, California.

**Notice of Sale of Real Estate.**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN  
pursuance of an order of the superior court of  
the county of Los Angeles, state of Califor-  
nia, made on the 22d day of October, 1897, in  
the matter of the estate of Janet Simpson, de-  
ceased, the undersigned, the administrator  
of the will annexed of the estate of the said  
Janet Simpson, deceased, will sell at private

to the highest bidder and subject to confirmation by said court, on or after the 27th day of November, 1897, the following-described real estate, to-wit:

Lot one, block "G," of the Pellissier tract, according to a map on file in the recorder's office of Los Angeles county, in book 15, page 70, miscellaneous records of said county, and lot is situate in the city of Los Angeles, the county of Los Angeles, state of California.

Lots 10 and 11 of the "Walker tract" Es-

ing to a map thereof recorded in book 10, page 76, miscellaneous records in the office of the county recorder of Los Angeles county. Said lots are situate in the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, state of California.

The southwesterly thirty feet of lots 51 and 52 and the northeasterly ten feet of lot 53, the Balestero tract, as per map thereof recorded in book 1, pages 505 and 506, miscellaneous records in the office of the recorder of said county of Los Angeles, state of California.

Terms—Cash, gold coin of the United States. Bids in writing will be received at any time after the first publication of this notice before the sale, and may be addressed to undersigned and left at his office, 73 temple block, in the city of Los Angeles, California.

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## SUFFERING WOMEN.

My sister, if you find that in spite of following faithfully your family doctor's advice, you are not getting well, why do you not try another course? Many and many a woman has quietly written to Mrs. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., stating her symptoms plainly and clearly, and taken her advice, which was promptly received. The follow-



ing letter is a pretty strong confirmation of our claims: "I had been sick for six months; one doctor told me I would have to go to a hospital before I would get well. I had female troubles in their worst form, suffered untold agonies every month; my womb tipped back to my backbone, had headache, hysteria, fainting spells, itching, leucorrhoea,

"My feet and hands were cold all the time, my limbs were so weak that I could hardly walk around the house; I was troubled with numb spells. I have taken four bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, one bottle of her Blood Purifier, one package of her Sanative Wash, and am entirely cured. I have not had one of those numb spells since. Can you wonder that I sing the praises of a medicine that has cured me of all these ills?"—MRS. LOTUSIA PLACE, 650 Belmont St., Brockton, Mass.

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The Price of **PIPER HEIDSIECK**  
**Plug Tobacco** (Champagne flavor)  
has been reduced 40  
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Quality — always the best — unchanged.  
Ask for the **NEW FIVE-CENT PIPE**.

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how, when and where to go and what to take, write  
to SMITH'S CASH STORE, S. F., Cal., U. S. A.

**Receiver's Notice of Sale.**  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE UNITED  
States, 9th Circuit, Southern District of  
California. No. 647 Equity. Henry King  
Whittle, complainant, vs. Vanderbilt Min-  
ing and Milling Company et al., respon-  
dents. Receiver's sale under final decree  
and order of sale.  
Public notice is hereby given that under

and by virtue of a certain decree of the circuit court of the United States, 9th circuit, southern district of California, given at San Francisco, California, on or about September A. D. 1897, in the above entitled action, whereby I am commanded to sell the property hereinafter described, to pay the debt of said defendant, Vanderbilt Milling Company, to the plaintiff, the amounting sum of between thousand and three hundred thirty-eight and \$6-10 dollars (\$1,338.86), besides interest, costs and expenses of this sale, I will, at ten o'clock A. M. on Tuesday, the 23rd day of October, 1897, sell the property at public auction on the courthouse in the town of San Bernardino, county of San Bernardino, and State

The Gold Bronze mine (quartz), 1377 feet in length by 277 feet in width; Gold Bronze No. 2 mine (quartz), 1280 feet in length, and 277 feet in width; Gold Bronze No. 3 mine (quartz), 1287 feet in length, and 277 feet in width; Gold Bronze Extension mine (quartz), 1287 feet in length, and 277 feet in width; also the springs known as Willow Springs, together with all rights to the same, and 12,877 feet of iron pipe leading from the mine to the springs.

(10) stamp mill, including one Gilpin  
 county concentrator; 1 rock crusher; 1 Atlas  
 steam engine, and all the necessary appliances  
 pertaining to a fully equipped mill; 1 double  
 cylinder for blast, 1 horizontal boiler,  
 1 vertical boiler, 1 cable, 1 tube boiler, 22 feet long,  
 18 inches in diameter, complete for operation,  
 with substantial frame building enclosing,  
 same; 1 boarding-house, with cellar and  
 office; 1 mill book, 1 safe, 1 stove and  
 1 furnace; 1 assay office, frame, with accessories,  
 1 fire, etc.; 1 blacksmith shop with  
 tools and materials; 1 small frame house used  
 by foreman of mill; 1 powder house or cel-  
 lar excavation with 1000 lbs. large ore scales,  
 1000 lbs. small scales with D. W.

Convey: 1 lot mining tools used in mine; 1  
iron mining cars: 1164 feet railroad track;  
119 feet railroad from not laid, with strap;  
about 2400 feet of water pipe lines of  
various sizes; 1 iron wheel; 1 iron wheel-  
barrow; 2 wooden buckets; 2  
pumps; 1 iron water tank at stump pulling  
pit; 3 iron trucks; 1 grindstone; 1000 pounds  
of iron scale; 1 lot of mining timber; 1 lot  
of ore sacks; 10 tons concentrates (last  
part not stated).

The successful bidder at said sale for said  
property or any part thereof, before the same  
shall be declared sold must make payment  
therefor to the undersigned receiver, other-  
wise the said sale shall be void.

Offered at the highest and best bidder re-

ash in hand. A certificate of purchase will  
 be forthwith executed and delivered to the  
 purchaser or purchasers at said sale, and  
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 liver to the purchaser or purchasers proper  
 and lawful conveyances thereof in due form  
 of law.

W. N. CRANDALL,

Receiver of the Vanderbilt Mining and Mill-  
 ing Co.

H. C. Dillon, Attorney for Receiver, 323  
 Bullard block, Los Angeles, California.

**Speed of Trains Increased.**

The board of arbitration of the eastern trunk lines has made a ruling that trains of the Vanderbilt lines between Chicago and New York may increase the speed two hours between the two cities, making the time twenty-six instead of twenty-eight hours, as heretofore, without any excess charge for passage. It has been the rule to exact an extra rate for these fast trains of the Vanderbilt system, but this concession eliminates that feature, which is one the traveling public will hail.

The new ten-stamp mill at Johannesburg is nearly ready for operating. The machinery is nearly all in place and the building is nearly at the plans' completion. It will be run from the Gold Bar mine, just east of the Alameda, and now under bond by Postmaster Curtiss and others of Johannesburg, will be the first run through.

Attorney F. B. Goodbody, law partner of Gen. Johnstone Jones of Los Angeles, has located a residence in Johannesburg and will be a resident.

The ball at the Hotel Johannesburg, Saturday night, was well attended. A number of Randersburgers were present. There are now five saloons in that enterprising town, and no occasion for any one going thirsty, unless

will be large, but not as heavy, it is estimated, as last year.

The bill of exceptions in the Ebanks case was settled and filed in the Superior Court today.

**A Klondike Project.**

The Pasadena and Klondike Mining Company has been organized by business men of Los Angeles and Pasadena for the purpose of sending a representative to Alaska in the spring to locate, purchase and otherwise acquire mining claims in accordance with the

“Maiden, Wife and Mother.”

under date of August, 1, 1897: "I  
do hereby claim for my said son, J  
for three or four years, and I  
am quite strong again. I can  
opportunity."

**"Mother."**

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W. N. CRANDALL,  
 the Vanderbilt Mining and Mill-



## City Briefs.

A money-saving sale for the ladies. We are closing out our entire winter underwear stock at just a little above cost price. You can't afford to miss this sale. Come quick before the plums are all gone. Remember, all new and fresh, this year's garments at closing-out prices. At the Unique, No. 247 South Spring street.

"The Times Almanac." From now until January 1, 1898, this almanac will be given free with every prepaid three months (\$2.50) subscription to The Times, or with every yearly subscription (\$1.00) to the Saturday Times and Weekly Mirror, or will be mailed, post-paid, to any address upon the receipt of 25 cents each.

Great remnant sale Friday: 36-inch Fruit-of-Loom muslin, 4¢; cambric skirt lining, 2¢; black sateen, 5¢; red table damask, 11¢; gingham, 2¢. Broadway Department Store, Fourth and Broadway.

Grand souvenir glove sale. Our \$1.75 and \$2 gloves at \$1.25 this week, and an elegant souvenir glove with all the gloves guaranteed. The Unique, No. 247 South Spring street.

The Times is prepared to do on short notice any kind of plain line type composition for 20 cents per thousand ems. Brief work for 35 cents per thousand.

Ladies are invited to examine our new and large stock of drawing work; handsome presents for holidays. Campbell's Curio Store, 325 S. Spring street.

Great remnant sale, Friday. Every department has bargains. Broadway Department Store, Fourth and Broadway.

Special—Finest cabinet photos reduced to \$1 and \$1.75 per dozen. Sunbeam, No. 255 South Main street.

Our latest specialty, Mexican drawing work. Campbell's Curio Store.

Mrs. Burnett-Chitt, ceramics. Studio, No. 425 Byrnie building.

Skeel's next organ recital, November 23.

Drawn work, Campbell's Curio Store. Underwear bargains. The Unique.

Underwear sale. The Unique. Souvenir days. The Unique.

The Los Angeles W.C.T.U. will meet today (Wednesday) at 2:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church, corner of Sixth and Broadway.

Wong Tsai and Wong Wau, industrious Chinamen, were arrested last night by Officer Talamantes for violating the laundry ordinance. They were released \$500.

A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Lucas Neymeier on the charge of battery, on complaint of G. W. Chapman, an engineer at the powerhouse of the Los Angeles Railway.

Tommy George, a boy employed in the Times pressroom, had a thumb and finger mangled by one of the big presses Tuesday morning at the Times building.

There are undelivered telegrams at Western Union telegraph office for the following: Ellsworth A. Young, George F. Cox, Victor E. Maggi, N. N. Mader, Gabe Mitchell, Thomas W. Harper, W. D. Dierker.

A warrant has been issued for the arrest of W. C. Wilson on the charge of defrauding a house by jumping a board bill of \$25. The complaining witness is Louis M. Bucklew of No. 506 South Main street.

The Deedulous-Fruit Growers' Exchange will meet at the Chamber of Commerce at 10 a.m. today. All who are interested in the subject of marketing fruit to advantage are urged to be present, as the meeting is for organization.

Three-year-old Willard Rhodes went astray from his home on Burlington avenue between Ninth and Tenth streets yesterday morning. The whole neighborhood turned out to search for the little fellow, and Private Patrolman Foster finally found the lad a long distance from home, and restored him to his mother's arms.

Weather and Crops. Weather Bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture climate and crop bulletin for Southern California for the week ending November 15, 1897.

The weather was fair throughout the week, with considerable dry northerly to easterly winds the earlier part, and occasional light frosts in low grounds the latter portion, which did no damage. Ploving continues, but the ground is getting very dry, and some orchardists are irrigating trees. Rain is very much needed for all purposes. Oranges are coloring fast, and fruit sufficiently ripe in being picked under favorable weather conditions for the holiday trade. Raisin curing is over, except in some of the eastern sections, where it continues on account of the weather having been too cool for favorable work. The second crop of grapes is being marketed; in quarts are in full bloom, which furnishes food for bees to make honey.

South Los Angeles: The weather was cool and pleasant, with some high fog in the mornings. The ground is getting dry. Highest temperature, 74 deg.; lowest, 58 deg.

Hitched Their Horses. Paul Crutcher and H. W. Seymour learned to their sorrow yesterday that there is such a thing as hitching ordinance. Both were arrested for their lack of knowledge of the subject of when and where to hitch or not to hitch. Seymour pleaded guilty in the Police Court, and was fined \$1. Crutcher was not ready for trial, so his case went over.

Didn't Steal the Ring. The colored dame, Jessie Williams, arrested by Detective Bradish on the charge of stealing a gold ring, was acquitted yesterday when her trial came up in the Police Court. The Police Station janitor and other respectable persons of color testified to Jessie's good character, and proved that she was a church member in good standing.

California Pensioners. [SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.] WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—Pensions were granted to Californians today as follows:

Original—James Smith, Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles; Robert T. Axtell, Zapato, Increase—James R. Jewett, Diamond Springs; James R. Jewett, Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles; Henry Copeland, San Francisco; Reissue—Edward Britton, Veterans' Home, Napa. Original—Edward R. Douglass, Marysville; Euphemie R. Brougner, San Francisco; Elizabeth A. McCarty, Sacramento; Elizabeth Friesel, Napa.

LOS ANGELES TRANSFER CO. Will check baggage at your residence to any point. 218 W. First street. Tel. M. 249.

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"DRINK A little wine (whisky) for thy stomach's sake and thine often infirmities." The famous old Jesse Moore whisky is the purest and best.

A PARTRIDGE is a great feast, but a suit made by Partridge, the tailor, is a great fit. No. 125 West First street.

WATCHES cleaned, 15¢; main springs, 25¢; crystals, 10¢. Patton, No. 214 South Broadway.

"Bread made from ordinary Baking Powder kills more people than war."

"Dr. For Health Baking Powder is not ordinary."

"It contains Pepsin."

## Sparks Was Shocked.

E. S. Thomas and Marguerite Bullock were arrested by Officer Cox on Alameda street at 9 o'clock last night. They were locked up on a charge of disturbing the peace.

Thomas and the fair Marguerite were engaged in a fistfight encounter when Cox arrested them. The cause of their difference could not be learned. When brought to the station Marguerite shocked Officer Sparks by requesting that he search her instead of leaving that duty to the matron. Sparks blushing refused, whereupon the coy Marguerite began to undress, laying her clothes on the clerk's desk. This unbecoming conduct, called lustily for help. Marguerite was forcibly removed, and under the application of restoratives Sparks recovered.

## Licensed to Wed.

George King, aged 28, native of Canada, resident of Los Angeles, and Hanna Thomson, aged 20, native of Norway, resident of Anaheim, Orange county.

George C. Flint, aged 28, resident of Long Beach, and Maud A. Healey, resident of Los Angeles; both natives of California.

George E. Martin, aged 27, native of Illinois, resident of Santa Ana, and Phoebe J. Davis, aged 17, native of California, resident of Howard Summit.

Norman E. Fay, aged 28, resident of Compton, and Clara Harper, aged 20, resident of Downey; both natives of California.

John W. Lee, aged 23, native of Missouri, and Mary Santouge, aged 17, native of California; both residents of Compton. By consent of the court, the wedding was postponed.

Sam Kee, aged 35, and Guen Gam, aged 22; both natives of China and residents of Los Angeles.

## DEATH RECORD.

LOWE—At Pasadena Saturday, Nov. 13, 1897. Sarah Margaret, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John O. Lowe.

REDDICK—At No. 98 State street, November 14, 1897. Maj. Jonathan Reddick, a native of Virginia, aged 89 years.

Funeral from C. D. Howey's parlors, Fifth and Broadway, at 9 a.m. today (Wednesday.) Friends invited to attend. Interment at Downey.

## FUNERAL NOTICE.

LOWE—At Pasadena, Cal., November 16, 1897. Sallie H., beloved wife of John O. Lowe, aged 35 years 10 months.

Funeral services will be held at the family residence, No. 220 F. and A. M., from their hall at Downey, Cal., at 1 p.m. sharp.

Religious services will be held at the parlors of C. D. Howey on Broadway, at 9 a.m. sharp. All Master Masons who can are earnestly invited to be present either here or in Downey.

By order of Masonic Board of Relief. C. W. BLAKE, Secretary.

## BIRTH RECORD.

GRIFITH—In this city, November 12, 1897, to the wife of F. J. Griffith a daughter.

## LOST BEAUTY

Means woman's chief charm is lost. Woman's best aid to beauty, and the safest, most effective and most economical remedy for faded skin, facial blemishes and faded complexion is

LOLA MONTEZ CREME the great tissue builder. It nourishes, builds up and beautifies. Used by thousands of beautiful women. I was its myself regular. 75¢ jar lasts 3 months.

## TRIAL POT FREE

If you send 10 cents in stamps for postage.

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## Hats For the Children.

Suppose you bring the children along today and try on some of the new Hats for them at the Marvel. We are now showing the very latest things in way of Children's Headwear in both trimmed and untrimmed kinds.

Sailors, bellcrows, tans, everything that children should wear, and in the neatest, and jauntiest styles and colors imaginable.

Bring the Children along. Prices to suit all sizes of purses.

Marvel Cut-Rate Millinery Co., 241-243 S. BROADWAY.



Is the price of our new Silver Chatelaine Watches for ladies. They are fine time-pieces and warranted to give entire satisfaction. We also have them in solid gold and gold filled at very low prices. It will be to your advantage to see ours before buying.

DONAVAN & CO. Jewelers and Silversmiths, 245 SOUTH SPRING STREET. Same store with Marchetti, optician.

It Is Said There is "nothing NEW under the sun," but this does not refer to our

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Here you will find something NEW every day at prices NEW to Los Angeles.

H. HOFFMAN, Spring St. Cut-Rate Millinery, 165 N. Spring Street.

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Russian Blouses. This morning there may be seen in our Cloak Department a line of handsome Russian Blouses, which have just arrived from New York. They are the most stylish garments we have shown this Fall, and because of the lateness of the New York season are much underpriced.

## Children's Wear.



Children's Eiderdown Cloak in fancy mixed tan, made like illustration, collar trimmed with ang. sizes 2 to 4 years, regular \$1.50 value; at..... \$1.00

Infants' Cream Silk Caps, handsomely embroidered or plain French styles, reg. 75¢ values; at..... 50¢

Children's Kinderarten Dresses in fancy plaids, lined throughout, neatly made, sizes 2 to 5 years, regular \$1 values; at..... 65¢

Draperies Materials. Drapery Crepe in a beautiful collection of artistic effects in Turkish, Bagdad, Persian and floral designs, worth 35¢ per yard; at..... 15¢

Art Denim, double faced, excellent assortment of designs, reversible, fast color, suitable for portieres, cushions, window seats, etc., worth 30¢; at..... 20¢

Rugs and Curtains. Moquette Rugs, 3x6 feet in size, beautiful color effects and new designs, correct size for piano, grate or double opening, good \$4 values; at..... \$4.25

Scottish Lace Curtains in real Brussels patterns, 48 inches wide, extra strong mesh, double edged effects, Roman stripes, flowered, etc., 3 1/2 and 5 in. wide, worth 50¢; all at one price. \$2.95

Half-price Ribbons. We can supply the popular demand for Ribbons in fancy plaids, shaded moires, striped and shaded effects, Roman stripes, flowered, etc., 3 1/2 and 5 in. wide, worth 50¢; all at one price. 25¢

Framed Pictures 59¢. 500 copies of famous paintings in different styles of frames, size 13 1/2x20 1/2 inches with glass and mat, cost you \$1 anywhere else; today at 59¢.

## SPECIAL CAPE SALE

AT \$4.95.

New York is so far in the distance that the ordinary store only reflects faint shadows of the styles in vogue there. Our buyer is there all the time, and no new thing there but it is soon here. His last shipment was an immense line of Pattern Capes right from the sample rooms of the best makers. They are on sale today. They are new styles. They were bought at a bargain. They will be sold as such. They are enumerated below. Only two or three of a kind, but many kinds.

Black Kersey Cloth Cape, box plait in back and front, handsomely braided with choice patterns of braiding; a regular \$6.50 cape

Tan Kersey Cloth Cape, high rolling inlaid velvet collar, fancy scalloped strap seams, full circular cape and fully worth \$7.50. A Handsome Tan Cape of Kersey Cloth with an additional shoulder cape, braided with narrow brown braid and trimmed with small silk buttons, a real \$7.75 value.

An Elegant Plush Cape, beautifully embroidered with beads and braid, Thibet fur edged collar and fronts; a genuine \$7.50 value.

Tan Capes of English Melton Cloth, double box plaited back, fancy strap seams and cord finish, inlaid velvet collar; a regular \$7.50 cape.

Plenty of others.

## 50c Novelty Suiting at 35c.

50 pieces of Handsome Novelty Suiting, in fancy two-toned mixtures and illuminated checks in three and four-tone effects, strictly all-wool, 37 inches wide and the best 50c values ever offered; on sale today at 35¢ a yard.

## \$1.00 Black Suiting at 85c.

500 yards of Fancy Black Granite Cloth, canvas weaves and rough weaves in crepon effects, full 50 inches wide, sold everywhere at \$1 yard; on sale today at 85¢ a yard.

## 40c China Silk at 25c.

100 pieces of Heavy China Silk in plain colors, all the new shades, light, pink, cream, Nile, cardinal, cerise, etc., silk especially desirable for fancy work, evening dresses, waists, etc.; our special sale today at 25¢ a yard.

## Knit Underwear.

Ladies' Wool Ribbed Vests, natural gray, also pants to match, regular \$1.00 values; at..... \$1.00

Ladies' Fine Wool Ribbed Equestrienne Tights, fast black, closed and open styles, regular \$1.50 values; at..... \$1.00

Children's Wool Ribbed Vests, natural gray, also pants to match, all sizes from 4 to 14 years, regular 50¢ values; at..... 35¢

## Fancy Collarettes.

Ladies' Cream Lace Collarette with long Van Dyke Point in front, trimmed with wide lace and ribbon, regular \$1.50, at..... 95¢

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## Ladies' Gloves at 95c.

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